1 2	3	4	5
5. Terbutaline....	Kg'	179. 00	43. 00
6. Propaaolol	T	2. 93	1. 03
7. Mebendazole...	T	3. 22	0. 82
8. Dapsone. .	T	3. 37	
9. Trimethoprim	T	7. 35	0. 37
10. Hydrochlorothiazide	T	0. 18	

*The company has not been sending production returns since June, 1987.

Prediction of drugs

Statement

2195. SHRl KAMAL MORARKA: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state;

(a) what are the names of the manufacturers of Ephedrine Hcl; Salbutamol; Dextropropoxyphene Hcl; and Ranitidine;

(b) what are the dates of commencing commercial production of these products by each company;

(c) whether the above products of all the manufacturers are free from Price Control; and

(d) if not, what are the reasons for not exempting the products of all these companies from the Price Control?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS (SHRI M. S GURUPADASWAMY): (a) To the extent information is available the names of producers of the referred drugs in the organised sector are given in the enclosed statement. *(See* below).

(b) These details are not monitored by this Ministry.

(c) and (d) All the bulk drugs, in question, are Category-II drugs under the Drugs (Prices Control) Order, 1987. However, in terms of para 28 of the DPCO, 1987 certain companies have been granted exemption from price control for a specific period on the grounds of indigenous research and Development.

1. *Ephedrine*
   (a) Malladi Drugs
   (b) Boehringer Knoll Ltd.
2. *Salbutamol*
   (a) FDC Ltd.
   (b) Newland Labs.
   (c) Standard Organies
   (d) Pefco
   (e) Cipla
3. *Dextro propoxyphene Hcl,*
   (a) M/s. Whockhardt is understood to be producing in the small scale sector.
   (b) M/s. Uni-Chem
4. *Ranitidine*
   (a) Glaxo
   (b) Unichem Labs.
   (c) Ranbaxy
   (d) Sunil Synthochem

Problems of Drugs and Pharmaceuticals industry

2196. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND CHEMICALS be pleased to state;

(a) whether it is a fact that the drugs and pharmaceuticals industry is on a direct confrontation with the Union Ministry of Petroleum and Chemicals regarding its problems;